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Sir:

This Amendment responds to the Office Action dated November 21, 2005 (Paper No. 4). Concurrently filed with this Amendment is a Petition for Extension of Time for a one month period. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

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